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In the treatment of the infirmities common to old age, Paine's Celery Compound is the world's greatest remedy.

William P. Snowden and his family were the first white settlers of the town that is now the city of Omaha. He has had along and eventful life. His trade was that of a brickmaker. He fought with the army of the North from 1861 to 1864. He had previously seen service in the Mexican War in the forties. He has held many local offices of trust and there is no better known man in Nebraska today.

"It gives me great pleasure," he wrote in a letter on Oct. 11 last, "to attest the good qualities of Paine's Celery Compound. I have used it for years, and it has never failed to help me. While I am perhaps, the oldest resident of this city, I am in good health. I have never found it necessary to take any other medicine."

Nothing has ever approached Paine's Celery Compound in its power of building up weakened nerve tissues and giving strength to the tired body. In severe cases of persistent headaches, dyspepsia, neuralgia and sleeplessness, due to nervous debility, Paine's Celery Compound has a record of rapid and lasting cures that

embraces every city and town in the wide sweep of the United States.

Mrs. Emyle Hyde Grinnell, at the age of 99 years, writes to the proprietors of Paine's Celery Compound.

"I can recommend Paine's Celery Compound to every one. It has been my health preserver during the last few years. Few women, even though much younger than I, enjoy as good health, for my appetite is natural, my sleep refreshing, and I can walk quite a distance without feeling tired. People are surprised at my vigorous appearance and activity, which I believe is the result of my using Paine's Celery Compound. It is a great help to



me, and I hope every old person will use it and be saved sickness and suffering."

Give the nerves a chance to recover, and the entire body will regain its health and strength. Paine's Celery Compound is nature's food for the nerves.

"LIBERTY'S TORCH"

Out with the torch! Out with the torch! That burns in Liberty's hand; No more a beacon of light shall it be, it's alien and waste to the land. Oh! freeman brave who bled and fought, oh! daughters and mothers true, Quench not the light on Bedlow's Isle, but support and maintain it, do. Oh! men of sires by valor crowned, Oh! men of right, might and truth, Is this the new verdict you give? The new lesson you teach to youth? Money to spare for crowning kings, and freemen to bend the knees? But none for the light on Bedlow's Isle, and it's gospel that men are free?

On Bedlow's Isle stands Liberty's Light, Liberty lighting the world; Shall it by March in darkness be? If so have we not been churlish? Millions to spend on Asiatic strand, and thousands crowning king; But not one cent for Liberty's torch; What results will such actions bring?

J. WALTER SEABERG, Iwaco, Wash., February 27, 1902.

The ladies of a fashionable Chicago suburb have invited their servant girls to a pink tea and other mutual improvements. It is a long step in the right direction. When employers and employed meet on such terms the vexatious problem of domestic service is in a fair way to be solved.

If Benjamin Daniels of Arizona has been a law-abiding citizen for many years it is rather hard lines that imprisonment for larceny in his youth should disqualify him for the office of marshal now. Virtue out of a job is always called upon to pay its board bill in advance.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

If Mr. Wheeler of Kentucky will write to the press clipping bureaus he will learn something to his advantage.

CITY NOT LIABLE

Case of Importance to Galveston Decided by Court of Appeals.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Feb. 27.—By a decision of the court of civil appeals, the City of Galveston is relieved of responsibility for private property seized for public purposes during the storm of 1900. The decision is of great importance to the city as following the storm property of considerable value was pressed into public service by the city authorities and if the city were financially responsible for the same an obligation would be created which would cost the stricken city hundreds of thousands of dollars. In the case in point a pair of horses belonging to A. A. Brown were seized by the mayor and chief of police and were driven until dead. Brown filed suit for \$200, the alleged value, and the court found for him. The court of appeals finds that the seizure was without authority of the city council and the city is not liable.

LAST OF THE BOOTHES.

Brother of Actor and Lincoln's Slayer Has Passed Away.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—In the death of Dr. John Booth, at his residence in this city, the last of the four sons of Junius Brutus Booth, the elder, passed away.

Dr. Booth was a younger brother of Edwin, Junius Brutus, Jr., and John Wilkes Booth. He lived a quiet life, compared with that of his brothers, and members of the theatrical profession who know Edwin Booth well were unacquainted with Dr. Booth.

Baltimore American: February seems to be offering fine bargains in assorted blizzards.

MRS. HUNTINGTON'S HONESTY.

Made No Effort to Blk Uncle Sam Out of Duty.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Mrs. Arabella D. Huntington, widow of Collis P. Huntington, has paid \$31,800 in cash as customs duty. Officials who frequently have to haggle with women over the tribute to Uncle Sam declared that she was a paragon of travelers.

Mrs. Huntington, who returned from a trip to Europe on the Oceanic with her son, Archer Huntington, and Mrs. Archer Huntington, staggered the young man who, as acting deputy collector asked her to make a declaration of her purchases abroad.

It was on board the steamer coming up the bay. Young Huntington had the list carefully prepared. The sum total of his mother's purchases abroad was \$75,000, the largest amount ever declared by a traveler in the port of New York and probably in the world.

The duty was the largest ever paid. There was a score of large flat trunks containing rich gowns bought in Paris, London and Berlin. Most of the tax paid by Mrs. Huntington was 60 per cent on made-up gowns of linen, silk and woolen. There was a large amount of jewelry and precious stones on which she paid 50 per cent. On a lot of perfume 90 per cent ad valorem was paid. Her rugs were taxed at 10 cents per square foot and 40 per cent on their value.

WANTS THE BIG FIGHT.

Los Angeles Will Offer Purse of \$20,000 to Fitz and Jeff.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 27.—The Century Athletic Club, of this city, has decided to make a bid of \$20,000 for the Jeffries-Fitzsimmons fight, the contest to take place during the festa celebration in this city on May 1, 2 and 3.

The club has ample financial backing and expects its bid to receive serious consideration by the two pugilists.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Lester M. Shaw, the new secretary of the treasury is in the city to attend the annual banquet of the National business league in the auditorium this evening where he will make his maiden speech since entering President Roosevelt's cabinet. On that occasion he will discuss "Commerce and Industries of the West." In an interview he spoke with considerable enthusiasm concerning the revival of the Pacific coast, and expressed the belief that it would go far toward cementing the friendship of the two countries.

PASSING OF THE CABLE CAR.

A few years ago the cable system of street car propulsion was considered decidedly the best, but since the invention of the trolley system the cable car is being rapidly replaced, and many experts now claim that compressed air will eventually be the street car power of the future. In all lines of industry we see improvements being made, but in medicine there is one remedy that is impossible to improve upon, and that is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It will not fail to cure dyspepsia, indigestion, sour stomach, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, or malaria, fever and ague. Take it at the first symptoms of any of these diseases and it will give prompt relief. Be sure to get the genuine. England is going right on building warships, and the powers who do not like it have the privilege of doing likewise.

St. Louis Globe Democrat: A contemporary prints an article on how to care for goldfish. Most people care most for lake trout.

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GUARDIAN SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a license granted by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Clatsop County, duly rendered and entered on the third day of February, A. D. 1902, authorizing and commanding the undersigned guardian of the person and estate of Carl H. Isakson, a minor, to sell all of the real estate hereinafter described, and belonging to said minor, at private sale for cash in hand at time of sale, subject to confirmation thereof by said County Court:

Notice is hereby given, that the undersigned guardian of the person and estate of said minor Carl H. Isakson, pursuant to the license aforesaid, will from and after the 15th day of March, A. D. 1902, proceed to sell at private sale, for cash in hand subject to the confirmation thereof by said County Court, all and singular the following described real estate belonging to said minor, Carl H. Isakson, and situated in the County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, to wit: Lot No. 16, in section No. 7, lot No. 1, in section No. 18, in township No. 4, north of range No. 7, west of Willamette Meridian. Also lot No. 17, in section No. 12, and lots Nos. 8 and 13, in section No. 13, in township No. 4, north of range No. 8, west of the Willamette Meridian, together with the tenements hereditaments and appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining thereto. Dated this 15th day of February, A. D. 1902.

FRANK R. STOKES, Guardian of the person and estate of Carl H. Isakson, a minor.

MURDER AT ARLINGTON.

R. R. Hankins Shot and Killed F. D. Sweeten Yesterday.

Portland, Feb. 27.—A special to the Oregonian from Arlington says: In the postoffice today R. R. Hankins was shot and killed by F. D. Sweeten. Both have lived here some years. Bystanders say Hankins fired the first shot. The cause of the trouble has not been learned.

BIG DIAMOND SEIZURE.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Eight parcels of diamonds, valued at \$104,000 have been confiscated and ordered sold by Federal Judge Wheeler, says a Burlington, Vt., special to the Times. The stones were seized at St. Albans. Hiest Stavitzky was arrested with the jewels concealed in the sleeves of his undershirt, claims he was hired to take the diamonds from Montreal to New York by a firm in the latter city.

ENTERTAINED BY RULERS.

PEKIN, Feb. 27.—The foreign ladies had a second audience today with the dowager empress and emperor, who conducted them through the private apartments of the palace. This reception given was more democratic than the first, which occurred February 1.

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